

RESPONSE UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.116  
EXPEDITED PROCEDURE  
GROUP 2616  
**PATENT APPLICATION**

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re application of

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For: RECEIPT OF DATA MESSAGES IN COMMUNICATIONS SYSTEMS COMPRISING  
REDUNDANT NETWORK PATHS

**RESPONSE UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.116**  
**AND**  
**STATEMENT OF SUBSTANCE OF INTERVIEW**

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Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated January 8, 2008, please consider the following  
remarks for the above-identified application provided on the accompanying pages.